

1		BEFORE THE	
2		ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION	
3	IN THE MATTER OF:)	
4	ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION)	
5	On Its Own Motion)	
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7	v)	No. 06-0751 &
8)	07-0311 (cons.)
9	NORTH SHORE GAS COMPANY)	
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11	Reconciliation of revenues)	
12	collected under gas adjustment)	
13	charges with actual costs)	
14	prudently incurred.)	
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17	On Its Own Motion)	
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19	v)	
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21	NORTH SHORE GAS COMPANY)	
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3	<u>Witnesses:</u>	<u>Dir.</u> <u>Crx.</u> <u>dir.</u> <u>crx.</u>	<u>Examiner</u>
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1 JUDGE HALOULOS: Pursuant to the authority of
2 the Illinois Commerce Commission, I now call
3 Dockets 06-0751 and 07-0311, consolidated.
4 Illinois Commerce Commission On Its Own Motion
5 versus North Shore Gas Company. This is a
6 Reconciliation of Revenues collected under gas
7 adjustment charges with actual costs prudently
8 incurred.

9 Could the parties please state their
10 name for the record.

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20 MS. BUELL: Appearing on behalf of Staff
21 witnesses of the Illinois Commerce Commission,
22 Linda M. Buell, 527 East Capitol Avenue,

1 Springfield, Illinois 62701.

2 JUDGE HALOULOS: Does the parties have --

3 MS. KLYASHEFF: The Company's understanding is

4 that there is no cross-examination for any of the

5 witnesses.

6 JUDGE HALOULOS: Is that correct?

7 MS. SODERNA: That's correct.

8 MS. BUELL: There's no cross-examination from

9 Staff, your Honor.

10 JUDGE HALOULOS: Is there anything to be entered

11 into the record?

12 MS. KLYASHEFF: The Company has testimony and

13 exhibits for two witnesses.

14 JUDGE HALOULOS: Who are those witnesses?

15 MS. KLYASHEFF: Christine Gregor and Richard

16 Dobson.

17 JUDGE HALOULOS: And you would like to enter

18 their testimony into the record?

19 MS. KLYASHEFF: Yes, your Honor.

20 JUDGE HALOULOS: Does anybody have any objection

21 to that?

22 MS. SODERNA: No objection.

1 MS. LUSSEN: No.

2 JUDGE HALOULOS: Let the record reflect that the
3 testimony of Christine Gregor and Richard Dobson is
4 entered into the record.

5 (Whereupon, North Shore's
6 Testimony of Christine
7 Gregor and Richard Dobson was
8 entered into the record.)

9 MS. BUELL: Your Honor, Staff has, also, two
10 witnesses to provide their prefiled testimony that
11 it would like to enter into the evidentiary record.

12 JUDGE HALOULOS: And who are those witnesses?

13 MS. BUELL: We would like to offer into the
14 record the direct testimony of Dianna Hathhorn and
15 her affidavit, and the direct and rebuttal testimony
16 and affidavit of Dennis L. Anderson.

17 JUDGE HALOULOS: Does anybody have any
18 objection?

19 MS. LUSSEN: No.

20 MS. SODERNA: No.

21 JUDGE HALOULOS: Let the record reflect that the
22 direct testimony of Dianna Hathhorn and Dennis

1 Anderson is entered into the record.

2 MS. BUELL: And the rebuttal testimony, your
3 Honor.

4 JUDGE HALOULOS: And the rebuttal testimony of
5 Mr. Anderson.

6 MS. BUELL: Thank you.

7 (Whereupon, Staff's Testimony
8 of Dianna Hathhorn and Dennis
9 Anderson was entered into
10 the record.)

11 JUDGE HALOULOS: And going forward?

12 MS. SODERNA: I'm sorry. And just to note for
13 the record, CUB this morning filed the Affidavit of
14 Jerome D. Mierzwa, that's M-i-e-r-z-w-a, for his
15 direct and rebuttal testimony in this proceeding.

16 Should I move for the admission of
17 those affidavits and exhibits?

18 JUDGE HALOULOS: This is for Mierzwa, right?

19 MS. SODERNA: Right.

20 JUDGE HALOULOS: Yes.

21 MS. SODERNA: I move for the admission.

22 JUDGE HALOULOS: Is there any objection?

1 MS. KLYASHEFF: No.

2 MS. BUELL: No objection from Staff.

3 JUDGE HALOULOS: Okay. Let the record reflect
4 that the direct and rebuttal testimony of Jerome D.
5 Mierzwa is entered into the record.

6 (Whereupon, Cub's Testimony
7 of Jerome D. Mierzwa was
8 entered into the record.)

9 JUDGE HALOULOS: Is there anything further?

10 MS. KLYASHEFF: Prior to the hearing the Company
11 and Staff and the parties had some e-mails and
12 discussions concerning the next steps in this
13 matter.

14 I believe there are no contested
15 issues in the case. And the Company was going to
16 propose that it prepare a draft order for Staff and
17 the parties' consideration. And it is our hope that
18 we would have an agreed form of order that we could
19 file for your Honor's consideration.

20 JUDGE HALOULOS: Any dates?

21 MS. KLYASHEFF: I would commit to circulate to
22 the parties and Staff a proposed order by Friday,

1 December 19th. I do not know that we've really
2 discussed how quickly we could all turn that around
3 and get something on file.

4 JUDGE HALOULOS: I just wanted to have an idea.
5 Anything else?

6 MS. BUELL: Mary, do you think that we could say
7 that the draft proposed order would be filed by the
8 end of January, do you think that would be fair?

9 MS. KLYASHEFF: I certainly think that should be
10 feasible.

11 MS. SODERNA: I think that would be plenty of
12 time.

13 MS. LUSSON: Yes.

14 MR. JOLLY: I guess -- although the City is not
15 involved in this, I thought that given that this is
16 taken with the Peoples Gas case, as long as the
17 draft order is in by the time you have, you know,
18 the reply briefs in in the other case, you know.
19 Just throwing that out there.

20 JUDGE HALOULOS: Okay.

21 (Whereupon, the above-entitled
22 matter was continued sine die.)